

Exhibit CC

Applicable Statutes, Rules, and Local Government Ordinances

**Biglow Canyon Wind Farm
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Acronyms and Abbreviations

AC	alternating current
BCWF or Existing Facility	Biglow Canyon Wind Farm
Certificate Holder / PGE	Portland General Electric Company
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
Council or EFSC	Oregon Energy Facility Siting Council
MW	megawatt
OAR	Oregon Administrative Rules
ORS	Oregon Revised Statutes
RFA	Request for Amendment
Site Certificate	Site Certificate on Amendment 3
Solar Components	photovoltaic solar generation and battery storage

1.0 Introduction

The Portland General Electric Company (PGE or Certificate Holder) submits this Request for Amendment (RFA) 4 to the Site Certificate on Amendment 3, issued October 31, 2008 (Site Certificate) for the Biglow Canyon Wind Farm (BCWF or Existing Facility) to add photovoltaic solar energy generation and battery storage (Solar Components) to the operating BCWF.

BCWF, owned and operated by PGE, is located within an approved site boundary comprising approximately 25,000 acres, approximately 2.5 miles northeast of the town of Wasco in Sherman County, Oregon. The BCWF operates under the Site Certificate from the Oregon Energy Facility Siting Council (Council or EFSC) as administered by the Oregon Department of Energy. BCWF currently consists of 217 wind turbines, with a maximum blade tip height of 445 feet, and a peak generating capacity of 450 megawatts (MW).

In RFA 4, PGE proposes to add up to 385 MW alternating current (AC) generating capacity from photovoltaic solar arrays and 375 MW in battery storage capacity. RFA 4 seeks to expand the BCWF site boundary to include the Solar Components in portions of the existing site boundary and in the proposed expanded site boundary (together, Solar Micrositing Area or RFA 4 Site Boundary¹).

The Solar Micrositing Area is approximately 3,980 acres and provides a conservative estimate of the maximum area needed for development, micrositing, and temporary disturbances from the Solar Components during construction, rather than the anticipated disturbance footprint. Solar Components will include solar arrays, inverters, battery energy storage system facilities and their subcomponents (i.e., inverters), two collector substations, a total of approximately 3 miles of 230-kilovolt generation tie transmission lines, medium voltage collector lines, operations and maintenance structures, site access roads, internal roads, perimeter fencing, facility entry gates, and temporary laydown areas. The maximum generating capacity from the Solar Components will be 385 MW AC and construction may take place in phases.

PGE will own and operate the Solar Components as a part of the BCWF (together, Amended Facility or Facility), which, to date, have been developed by BIGL bn, LLC. BIGL bn, LLC, in its capacity as the project developer, supports PGE in this RFA 4 and may construct and temporarily operate the Solar Components on behalf of PGE under a Build-Transfer Agreement.

Exhibit CC provides the information required by Oregon Administrative Rules (OAR) 345-021-0010(1)(cc) in support of RFA 4.

¹ Note, as described in further detail below in Section 4.1.1.2, the Solar Micrositing Area is the equivalent of the RFA 4 Site Boundary.

2.0 Additional Statutes and Administrative Rules – OAR 345-021-0010(1)(cc)

OAR 345-021-0010(1)(cc) Identification, by legal citation, of all state statutes and administrative rules and local government ordinances containing standards or criteria that the proposed facility must meet for the Council to issue a site certificate, other than statutes, rules and ordinances identified in Exhibit E, and identification of the agencies administering those statutes, administrative rules and ordinances. The applicant must identify all statutes, administrative rules and ordinances that the applicant knows to be applicable to the proposed facility, whether or not identified in the project order. To the extent not addressed by other materials in the application, the applicant must include a discussion of how the proposed facility meets the requirements of the applicable statutes, administrative rules and ordinances.

Response: Table CC-1 identifies by legal citation and relevant administering agency the state statutes and administrative rules and local government ordinances referenced in other exhibits, with the exception of those presented in Section 5.4 of the RFA 4's Division 27 document (Request for Amendment 4 for the Biglow Canyon Wind Farm), which addresses OAR 345-021-0010(1)(e). The identified statutes, rules, and ordinances contain standards or criteria that the Facility, as proposed in RFA 4, must meet for the Council to amend the Facility's Site Certificate.

Table CC-1. Statutes, Rules, and Local Ordinances Referenced in Other Exhibits

Administering Agency	Agency Address	Legal Citation	Relevant Exhibit
Oregon Department of Agriculture	Oregon Department of Agriculture 635 Capitol Street, NE Salem, OR 97301 (503) 986-4550	Plant Conservation Biology Program—Oregon Revised Statutes (ORS) Chapter 564	Exhibit Q
Oregon Department of State Lands	Oregon Department of State Lands 775 Summer Street NE, Suite 100 Salem, OR 97301 (503) 986-5200	33 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) § 328; ORS Chapters 196 and 390; OAR Chapter 141	Exhibit J
Oregon Department of Environmental Quality – Noise	Oregon Department of Environmental Quality 400 E Scenic Drive, Suite 307 The Dalles, OR 97058 (541) 298-7255	ORS Chapters 526; OAR Chapter 340	Exhibit Y
Oregon Department of Environmental Quality – Noise	Oregon Department of Environmental Quality 400 E Scenic Drive, Suite 307 The Dalles, OR 97058 (541) 298-7255	OAR Chapter 340	Exhibits L and T

Administering Agency	Agency Address	Legal Citation	Relevant Exhibit
Oregon Department of Environmental Quality – Hazardous Waste Management	Oregon Department of Environmental Quality 400 E Scenic Drive, Suite 307 The Dalles, OR 97058 (541) 298-7255	40 CFR §112; ORS Chapter 465; OAR Chapter 340	Exhibit G
Oregon Department of Environmental Quality – Hazardous Waste Management	Oregon Department of Environmental Quality 400 E Scenic Drive, Suite 307 The Dalles, OR 97058 (541) 298-7255	40 CFR §112	Division 27
Oregon Department of Environmental Quality – Solid Waste	Oregon Department of Environmental Quality 400 E Scenic Drive, Suite 307 The Dalles, OR 97058 (541) 298-7255	ORS Chapter 466; OAR Chapter 340	Exhibit W
Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife – Habitat Conservation Division	Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife – The Dalles Field Office 3561 Klindt Drive The Dalles, OR 97058 (541) 296-8026	ORS Chapter 496	Exhibit Q
Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife – Habitat Conservation Division	Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife – The Dalles Field Office 3561 Klindt Drive The Dalles, OR 97058 (541) 296-8026	OAR Chapter 635	Exhibit P
Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development	Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development 635 Capital Street NE, Suite 150 Salem, OR 97301 (503) 373-0050	ORS Chapters 195, 197, 215, 469, and 540; OAR Chapter 660	Exhibit K
Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development	Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development 635 Capital Street NE, Suite 150 Salem, OR 97301 (503) 373-0050	ORS Chapter 469	Division 27
Oregon Office of State Fire Marshal	Oregon Office of State Fire Marshal 3991 Fairview Industrial Drive SE Salem, OR 97302 (503) 378-3473	2022 Oregon Fire Code	Division 27

Administering Agency	Agency Address	Legal Citation	Relevant Exhibit
Oregon Department of Transportation Commerce and Compliance Division	Oregon Department of Transportation Commerce and Compliance Division 455 Airport Road SE, Building A Salem, OR 97301 (503) 378-5849	49 CFR 173	Division 27 and Exhibit U
Oregon Parks and Recreation Department, State Historic Preservation Office – Archaeological	Oregon State Historic Preservation Office 725 Summer St NE, Suite C Salem, OR 97301 (503) 986-0690	ORS Chapter 358	Exhibit S
Oregon Public Utility Commission	Oregon Public Utility Commission 201 High Street SE, Suite 100 Salem, OR 97301 (503) 378-6600	OAR Chapter 860	Division 27 and Exhibit V
Sherman County Planning Department	Sherman County Planning Department 66365 Lonerock Road Moro, OR 97039 (541) 565-3601	Sherman County Zoning Ordinance	Exhibit K

3.0 Spill Response Statutes

In regard to reporting and responding to spills or the release of hazardous materials, the following rules and statutes contain state and federal spill reporting requirements:

- ORS 466.635;
- OAR Chapter 340, Divisions 45, 100, 101, 102, 103, 122, 135, 142, 150, 160;
- 33 Code of Federal Regulations part 153; and
- 40 Code of Federal Regulations parts 110, 122, 262, 265, 280, 302, 355, 761.

Oregon agencies that may be required to be notified in the event of spill or the release of hazardous materials of reportable quantities include:

- Oregon Office of Emergency Management;
- Oregon Department of Environmental Quality; and
- Oregon State Police.